

TEACHERS FOR NON-PARTISAN SCHOOL HEAD

Association Praises Committee
on Education of State Con-
stitutional Con-
vention.

PLEDGE LOYAL SUPPORT

E. M. Carter and T. J. Walker
of Columbia Are Elected
to Office in State
Organization.

The committee on resolutions at the convention of the Missouri State Teachers' Association, which came to a close November 18 in Kansas City, adopted among others the following resolutions:

"Whereas, we believe that the administration and supervision of public education should be on a professional basis and should be, as far as possible, removed from the exigencies of political upheavals, therefore, be it resolved that we oppose the selection of the state superintendent of schools by political methods, and reaffirm our belief in the selection of the chief executive officer of the public schools of the state by a state board of education and that we commend the excellent work, toward that end, of the Committee on Education of the Constitutional Convention.

"We respectfully urge upon the General Assembly the necessity for adequate support of the state University and teachers' colleges. We especially urge adequate provision for the training of teachers in these institutions, including the development of a Graduate School of Education at the state University and ample provision for extension work for teachers by the state University and teachers' colleges.

"We commend the state Department of Education for its progressive attainments and its efforts to improve the schools of the state and we pledge to the incoming administration our loyal support and co-operation in furthering educational progress.

"The principle of compensation for the incapacitated or retired teacher is meeting with increasing favor. The merits of retirement fund systems have been recognized in many states and cities where tried. The state association has repeatedly affirmed its conviction that the retirement fund principle operates to improve school conditions generally. The association, therefore, commends to the Constitutional Convention the provisions recommended in Section 14, in the report of the Committee on Education, which will enable the General Assembly to authorize the establishment of teachers' retirement funds.

"We believe that the conservation of the health and strength of the children of the state is a matter of vital educational and social concern.

"We approve of the physical education law passed by the 51st General Assembly and congratulate Sam A. Baker, state superintendent of schools, upon the excellent beginning made in this field, handicapped as he has been by lack of funds, and urge that adequate appropriations for physical education be made by the next General Assembly.

"We heartily commend the work of our legislative committee in securing the enactment into law, by the 51st General Assembly, of virtually the entire legislative program of the association; but whereas, the most important measure has apparently failed of endorsement by the people, we recommend that the campaign for a county unit plan be continued to the end that equality of educational opportunities may be attained for the people of the state."

The convention had an attendance of approximately 17,000. General officers for the coming year are: President, Clyde M. Hill, of Springfield; and president, Southwest Missouri State Teachers' College; first vice-president, J. J. Maddox of St. Louis, superintendent of public instruction; second vice-president, Eugene Fair of Kirksville, professor of history, State Teachers' College; third vice-president, Russell A. Sharp of Kansas City, teacher, Northeast High School; secretary-treasurer, E. M. Carter of Columbia, secretary Reading Circle Board; assistant secretary, Thomas J. Walker of Columbia, editor of the "School and Community."

Members of the executive committee are: Chairman, Miss Clara Gardner, Joplin, teacher, Joplin High School; Clyde M. Hill, ex-officio, of Springfield; Miss Elizabeth Buchanan of Kansas City, district superintendent of public schools; George Melcher of Kansas City, assistant superintendent of public schools; Miss Elizabeth L. White of Nevada, superintendent of Vernon County schools; J. N. Crocker of Cape Girardeau, superintendent of public schools; and Uel W. Lamkin of Maryville, president of Northwest Missouri State Teachers' College. The slogan of the Missouri State Teachers' Association for the coming year is: "Every teacher in Missouri a member of M. S. T. A.—Every teacher completely organized—Every teacher a member of local organization."

Library Gets 5 New Books.

The University library has received five new books. Two, compiled by the American Institute of Medicine, were presented by Dr. Herman Schlundt. They were: "Radium" and a "Bibliography of Radium." The others were: "Montenegro, the Crime of the Peace Conference" by Whitney Warren, "Studies Concerning Mosaic Diseases," by B. T. Dickson and "Recent Economic Developments in Russia" by K. Leites.

SOCIAL WORKER WOULD TEACH HOW TO MARRY

Ohio Woman Says 90 Per Cent Of
Marriages In Cleveland Are
Mistakes.

By United Press.
CLEVELAND, Ohio, Nov. 27.—A school of marriage has just been founded in Cleveland. Its director, Mrs. Jessie A. Foulk, is a social worker.

She seeks to educate young men and women in the art of marrying happily and to assist those whose marriages appear to be mistakes, "to make the best of it."

She calls her school the Bureau of Domestic Happiness.

According to Mrs. Foulk, 90 per cent of the marriages in Cleveland are unhappy.

She makes this statement after twenty years' experience in dealing with married people.

"I know that this is true," she said.

"Of course there are some husbands and wives who will not admit it. They lead miserable existences in their homes quarreling and bickering continually and at the same time trying to make others believe they are happy.

"But in their heart they know they have grown to hate each other—it is merely a case of toleration. They know their love has died and their marriage has become a mockery.

"I am convinced all this unhappiness is unnecessary. I firmly believe that the cause of suffering and discontent and discord in marriage is simply a lack of understanding of what marriage is—or, rather, what it should and can be.

Mrs. Foulk asserted that most unhappy marriages are caused because young people are left to stumble upon love blindly. She gives the following advice:

Don't permit moonlight and kisses to select your husband or wife. Weigh his or her faults and compare the result with the good points.

Don't turn your children out into the world without telling them the seriousness of marriage.

Have an ideal. Don't choose any one person as your ideal, but select the qualities which the one you marry must have. Be sure that you realize just what marriage will mean. And hold to your ideal.

"When a man understands his wife," she concluded, "and a wife understands her husband, divorce will become unnecessary."

SEARLES FORSEES STRIKE

Spokesman For Union Coal Miners
Says Wages Can't Be Reduced.

By United Press.
PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 27.—Another coal strike of the same proportions that precipitated the fuel crisis this year will be called next year if attempts are made to reduce the wages of coal miners, Ellis H. Searles, spokesman for union miners, warned in a speech recently.

"I can say that the miners will not submit to any reduction in their wages, nor will they permit the coal operators to take away from them another of the conditions of their employment which they have won by many years of struggle," Searles said.

"Wages of anthracite miners always have been too low and they must be brought up to a decent American level," he said.

CHICAGO, Nov. 27.—Illinois coal operators must agree at once on a definite policy for negotiating the wage scale to take effect April 1, 1923, or face a strike in the spring, W. K. Kavanaugh, District 9, president said before a conference of mine owners.

ACTION OF COURT REVIEWED

Upholds Powers of U. S. Railroad
Labor Board.

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—The Supreme Court has announced that it would review action of the Circuit Court of Appeals at Chicago which upheld the powers of the United States Railroad Labor Board against a legal attack brought by the Pennsylvania Railroad.

The suit is chiefly an attempt by the Pennsylvania to escape having to recognize railroad unions in conferences over wages and working conditions. The railroad won out in the District Court of Illinois but lost when the Labor Board appealed to the circuit court.

NEW CALIPH IS SPIRITUAL HEAD

Muslims May Not Permit
Abdul Medjid to Have
Sultanate.

By Consolidated Press Assn. (Copyright 1922).
CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 27.—The National Assembly at Ankara by a majority of 189 votes elected, after a long and stormy debate, the former crown Prince, Abdul Medjid, as caliph of all Muslims.

Though the imperial family has declared that he cannot accept the position without the sultanate it is believed that he will agree to become the first crownless caliph.

Abdul Medjid, the spiritual head of the Muslims, has always been a strong supporter of the Nationalists despite the fact that he is a first cousin of the deposed sultan. He disapproved so strongly some of the measures taken by the Constantinople government against the Nationalists that he was put under arrest and was kept under military surveillance for a long time for fear that he might join Mustapha Kemal Pasha.

Abdul Medjid is the most modest modern caliph the Muslims have ever had. He speaks English and French fluently, is a painter and composer, plays the violin and has only one wife. Now he will probably be compelled to submit to the command of the Koran and add three more to his household.

The caliph is elected by the Nationalist Assembly and possesses only spiritual power. He is deprived of power completely and is elected by a small body of 380 members of the Nationalist Assembly representing scarcely 8,000,000 Turks. It is questionable whether the rest of the 100,000,000 Muslims in the world will agree to be ruled by a man elected by a body representing only a small section of the Muslims.

The situation is further complicated by the fact that the former sultan, who has now reached Malta, claims that his deposition was unlawful. In the opinion of many Muslims he is still considered as the only caliph. The Syrians and many Arab tribes have already informed the Nationalist Assembly that they do not recognize the deposition of Mehmed VI.

IMPROVEMENTS IN SAVITAR

Divisions Pages to Be Photographs
Posed for by Students.

Something unusual in division pages for a year book has been promised by T. Spencer Shore, editor of the 1923 Savitar, if the experiments now being conducted are successful.

The idea is an elaboration of the one used by the Savitar last year. The Savitar is originating the idea of using photographs, specially posed by University students and artistically grouped, to represent the various divisions of the book. They will be tinted by Paul Parsons as were the division page pictures last year.

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ST. LOUIS ISSUES TEN TAXICAB COMMANDMENTS

Rules for Cautious Driving Provide
Protection for Passengers
and Pedestrians.

By United Press.
ST. LOUIS, Nov. 27.—Another parody on the Ten Commandments has been written and delivered to taxicab drivers of St. Louis.

The "commandments" follow:

1. Thou shalt not kill.
2. Always be careful.
3. Never drive into an uncertainty.
4. Always use commonsense.
5. Signal the driver back of you if you intend to turn or stop.

6. Reduce speed in passing a school.
7. Slow down at railway crossings or stop when in doubt rather than take a chance.

8. Always drive on the right side of the street as close to the curb as possible. Pass to the left when overtaking other vehicles.
9. Procure and read the city traffic ordinance and observe the law carefully.

10. Drive with caution and make your speed reasonable at all times.

TO FEATURE NOTED SOLOISTS

Gusikoff and Steindel Here Tomorrow
With Symphony.

Tomorrow's St. Louis Symphony Orchestra programs in the University Auditorium will have as featured soloists, Michel Gusikoff, concertmaster and solo violinist, and H. Max Steindel, solo 'cellist.

Gusikoff comes of Russian parentage. He was born in the city of New York, and received his earliest violin instruction from his father. He was then sent to a pupil to the Russian violinist, Mark M. Fomoff, for further instruction. Franz Kneisel, acknowledged as a master of the violin, became his next instructor. When Gusikoff was only 21 years old he became the concertmaster of the Russian Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Modest Altschuler. He toured the country for several years in this symphony, and became a member of the Russian String Quartet. He has

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